



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Yoshitaka SASAKI et al.

Application No.: 10/692,731

Filed: October 27, 2003

Docket No.: 117339

For: MAGNETIC HEAD, METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME, A HEAD
GIMBAL ASSEMBLY, AND A HARD DISK

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims;

Remarks.